PTO/SB/21 (04-04) Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL FORM  (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)  Total Number of Pages in This Submission		Application Number	09/955,919		
		Filing Date	Septembe	September 19, 2001	
		First Named Inventor	Pappas e	Pappas et al.	
		Art Unit	2833	2833	
		Examiner Name James R. Harvey		Harvey	
		Attorney Docket Number	7784-000	302	
	ENCLOS	SURES (check all that apply)			_
Fee Transmittal Form		Drawing(s)		After Allowance Communication to Technology Center (TC)	
Fee Attached	Licensin	Licensing-related Papers		Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences	
Amendment / Reply	Petition	Petition		Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)	
After Final	_	Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application		Proprietary Information	
		Attorney, Revocation of Correspondence Address  Status Letter		Letter	
Extension of Time Request		l Disclaimer		Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):	
Express Abandonment Request	Request for Refund  CD, Number of CD(s)		Re	turn postcard.	
☐ Information Disclosure Statement					
Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)		The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 08-0750. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.			
Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,			
Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53		•			
SIGNA	TURE OF A	PPLICANT, ATTORNEY,	OR AGENT		
Firm or Individual name  Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C.		Attorney Name DEAN W. AMBURN		eg. No. ,517	
Signature WWW WWW					
Date June 2, 2004					
	ERTIFICATI	E OF TRANSMISSION/MA	AILING		5
I hereby certify that this correspondence Service with sufficient postage as first Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date s	class mail in				
Typed or printed name DEAN W. AN		Express Mail Label No.	EV 533 149 096 US (6/2/2004)		
Signature (X)	W	Date	June 2, 2004		

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO:

Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

6-3-04



AN 2833

## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.:

09/955,919

Filing Date:

September 19, 2001

Applicant:

Pappas et al.

Group Art Unit:

2833

Examiner:

James R. Harvey

Title:

APPARATUS FOR AIRCRAFT SEAT CONNECTOR

INTERFACE TO PORTABLE ELECTRONIC DEVICES

Attorney Docket:

7784-000302

Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 3, 2004, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.